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Pertinent Topics Discussed by H.C.

As a preventive of 'flu, a medical health officer recommends that occupation be avoided entirely. We would not go so far as that but would expressly prohibit women and girls kissing each other. There is no sense in taking unnecessary risks.

The best Christians are not smokers, says the Rev. John Penrose. We welcome, nevertheless, their contribution to the national revenue. More than the non-smokers they render unto Caesar.

Mr. Aberhart has just cause for resentment against Major Douglas, who more than anyone else should have given him co-operation instead of criticism. The Major is like an orchestra leader who composes a piece of music but declines to conduct his orchestra in the first night performance, preferring to listen in at his home, or like a military expert who writes a text book on cavalry tactics but will not lead a squadron of horse into action. If it fails he is ready with criticism. In this instance he criticized before the test was made, giving the impression that he was playing safe with his theories in case they should fail in practice. He has been free with censure ever since. "This is not Social Credit," he repeats, knowing that his own explanations are adjustable to various interpretations. Pagnie's caretaker may never succeed in making a car go 200 miles on a gallon of gasoline, but it will not be because Pagnie himself is four thousand miles away from the scene of experiment.

Hargrave, too, has proven himself a thoroughly pedantic fellow whose advice is as useful as a straw would be to a drowning man. This, this and this, he repeats, are not Social Credit, but when he is answering the direct question he becomes very learned and very vague, taking refuge behind a facade of words, words, words before retiring to the Douglas shelter of distance, having in mind no doubt the maxim that in the hour of trial the next best thing to presence of mind is absence of body. Whatever the outcome may be, this should be noted in Mr. Aberhart's behalf—he was ill-served and scurvily treated by his technical advisers from abroad.

The eagerness and fluency with which Russians admit conspiracy against Stalin suggest that they are boasting rather than confessing and that they are assured of immunity themselves if they succeed in implicating others. The Russian editor Radek was especially enthusiastic about his conspiracy with Trotsky to compass the downfall of Stalin with the assistance of a great eastern and a great central European power easily identified as Japan and Germany. He is too enthusiastic by far to make a good witness. He states, for instance, that he is guilty of all conspiracies—even those he did not know about. So tender a conscience is not conceivable in (Continued on Page 3)

Vulcan—10 Years Ago

Interesting Information Gleaned from the Vulcan Advocate of Friday, February 11th, 1927

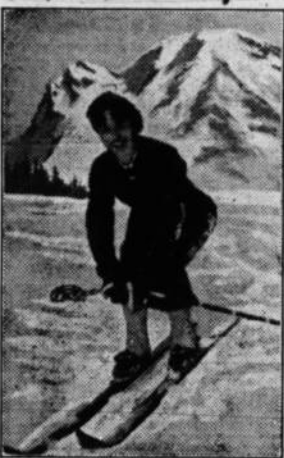
Gordon Thompson, professional speed and fancy skater, was to perform at the Vulcan arena.

Four nominations were made to fill three vacancies on the town council in 1927. Those nominated were R. L. Eies, P. McAskle, F. L. Simington and L. H. Stack. Three school board trustees were required and five were nominated—F. M. Anderson, W. E. Butchart, P. B. Discher, Joseph Loiselle and O. B. Roe. W. E. Butchart was re-elected mayor by acclamation.

Vulcan was defeated by High River in the last game of the Wheatbelt League, High River thereby taking possession of the Leverington cup.

On Sunday, Feb. 6th, 1927, the weather was so nice that several rounds of golf were enjoyed by over twenty enthusiasts.

Banff's Winter Queen



Miss Verda Cavanaugh, who will preside this year as Queen of the internationally famous Banff Winter Carnival, which will be held February 10-14 inclusive. Visitors from United States and Canadian points annually enjoy to the full the games and competitions staged at this Rocky Mountain centre.

ANGLICAN CHURCH NOTES

St. Valentine's Day coincides this year with the first Sunday in Lent. The St. Aldhelm's Ladies' Guild will serve tea in the church hall on Saturday. Services for Sunday will be at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m., with Sunday school at 12.15 noon. Were you present at the Young People's social evening last Friday? If not, why not?

Kirkcaldy News

Mr. Alfred Roebuck was a Calgary visitor last week. S. C. Lewis and W. Munroe spent several days in Calgary last week. Ralph Clark of Vulcan spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Saunders. Master Dorrell Maisey is a patient in the Vulcan Municipal Hospital. Miss Dorothy Cowell of Vulcan spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morgan. Mr. J. Hagerman was a Calgary visitor last week.

Albertans Always Progressive Says Investment Chief

"No one doubts for a moment that the vast majority of Alberta people are honest. Evidence of that is found in the fact—I am informed on the most reliable authority—that hundreds are disregarding entirely the recent debt-reduction laws if they are able to pay." J. A. Kingsmill, permanent secretary of the Investment Dealers' Association of Canada, Toronto, stated during a brief visit here.

Asked to express an opinion on the present situation, Mr. Kingsmill added seriously: "The people of this province must be the judges of their own government. They have always shown themselves to be progressive in political matters, and were no doubt motivated into the present situation by a sincere desire to better their positions."

Mr. Kingsmill added that he hoped disillusionment which was certain to follow the failure to pay dividends as promised by Mr. Aberhart (within eighteen months after his election August 22, 1935) would not destroy sound judgment.

"The people of this province," he warned, "may yet face more serious problems than they now believe possible. When that time comes, clear thinking, intellectual honesty and a minimum of shaken pride will be essential if they are to protect that which has taken years to build in their own province."

"I am quite confident they, as always, will be equal to the task," he concluded.

An influenza epidemic at Trail has shut down schools and public assemblies.

Symphony Orchestra To Compete At Lethbridge

Group of Vulcan and Champion Musicians Have Twice Captured First Place at Musical Festival

Although the Sunday night concerts of the Vulcan Symphony orchestra have been indefinitely postponed due to the blocked roads, great interest is being taken in the orchestra and the Advocate is pleased to give an outline of the activities of this group of musicians since their organization. Amusement is often expressed that a town the size of Vulcan has an orchestra of this type and one that has been such an outstanding success wherever they have appeared.

Organized in 1933 by Sergt. Forsland of the R.C.M.P., the orchestra made rapid progress under his capable direction. In 1934 Sergt. Forsland was transferred to Edmonton and leadership of the orchestra was taken over by Miss Beulah Walker, L.A.B. Under her guidance the orchestra captured first place at the Lethbridge Musical Festival in 1935 and again in 1936. Radio engagements at Lethbridge and Calgary have been filled by this Vulcan group of musicians, who have also presented some very successful concerts at Calgary.

Leadership of the orchestra passed to the hands of R. H. Weale in 1936, Miss Walker remaining in the organization as pianist. Mr. Weale, who has played solo trumpet in the orchestra since it was first organized, has had wide experience in this line of work in Wales and in Canada. He is very active in local musical circles, having conducted the local Citizen's band since he came to Vulcan in 1931. Mr. Weale is also the former conductor of the Welsh Apollo Concert Singers and the success he has had in musical work continues with the excellent showing of the Vulcan Symphony Orchestra.

Last year the orchestra played at the Crows' Nest Musical Festival, competing against the Crows' Nest Symphony of thirty performers and only losing the shield by one point. The judges at the festival praised the work of the Vulcan musicians very highly. The orchestra is at present preparing for the Lethbridge festival in May, the test piece being Beethoven's "Coriolan."

The orchestra now has eighteen pieces, with the following as members: Director and solo trumpet, R. H. Weale; piano, Miss Beulah Walker; 1st violins, R. E. Pederson, C. Kettle, Dr. D. Nicol; and violins, John Hunter, Lloyd James, Miss Mildred Ulrich; trumpets, W. M. Weale, Max Caldwell; clarinets, Don Campbell, T. McNaughton; saxophones, Miss Edna McPherson, O. J. Doney; flute, H. Washburn; trombone, John Dorch; cello, Miss D. McPherson; bass, J. M. Moffatt.

VULCAN W. I. MEETING

The regular meeting of the Vulcan W. I. was held at the home of Mrs. O. A. Craig on February 5th. Nine members were present. Mrs. George Monkman presided. A sick committee comprising Mrs. Kuykendall and Mrs. Lambert was made from the chair, for the year 1937. A dainty tea, with Valentine favors, was served by the hostesses, Mrs. Craig and Mrs. Lambert. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Lambert on March 5th.

CHURCH OF CHRIST NOTES

Our Sunday school is in a contest with itself. We are trying to have our attendance at least ten per cent. above what it was for these corresponding Sundays last year, February and March. If we win we will each need to be in our place and do all we can to have our friends and the other members of our families there. We count on you to help us.

Sermon, Sunday morning, "One of the Master's Great I Am's." Sunday evening, "Climbing or Drifting?" We most cordially urge the Gospel welcome and invitation. "Neglect not the assembling of yourself together." We appreciate the splendid attendance during the bad weather and in face of much illness.

Now's the time to pay your subscription.

Ford V-8's Win And Draw In Double-header

Defeat Carmangay and Tie With Mossleigh at Local Arena Last Week

A good crowd of fans saw a double bill of hockey at the arena last week when the local Ford V-8's tangled with Carmangay and with Mossleigh. In the first the local boys defeated Carmangay by 4 goals to 1. Vulcan netted three points in the first period, N. Love scoring from Craig, N. Love scoring unassisted and Campbell counting on a pass from N. Thomas. No score was registered in the second period and in the last frame McGinnis scored for Carmangay. Woodward getting the last counter for Vulcan.

Carmangay line-up—Middleton; Clark, Miller; Moore, Hubka, Hicks, McGinnis, Neilson, Raycroft, R. Dayman, Parker, H. Dayman. Vulcan line-up—Clark; N. Thomas, Graham, Lundgren, Harper, Thompson, Granlin; Craig, Campbell, Love, Weale, McFarlane, Woodward.

Vulcan 3—Mossleigh 3
The second game was much evened than the first, each team collecting three points. In the first period, Campbell scored from Craig. During the second period, Elkins, Segal and Strong scored for Mossleigh and Craig made one counter for Vulcan. In the last period Harper scored on an assist from Thompson.

Mossleigh line-up—Hanson; D. McColman, F. McColman; J. Leslie, R. Leslie, H. Leslie; Strong, Segal, Elkins; Carson.

Referee—G. MacDonald, Mossleigh.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. "Bud" Flood and infant son, of High River, are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Flood.

The International Tractor School scheduled to be in Vulcan Feb. 22nd, has been indefinitely postponed due to the blocked roads.

At the dance last Saturday night, prizes were awarded to C. J. Robinson and Mrs. Geo. McMann as winners of the spot dance.

Mrs. J. M. Hill has a small cherry tree at her home which has produced a good-sized red cherry this month. This is unusual, even in Alberta.

Let the Canadian Bank of Commerce handle your orders to buy or sell stocks and bonds. Fullest protection afforded. Prompt settlements and deliveries. Adv't

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Gil Williams of Milo will be pleased to learn of Mr. Williams' promotion to the Calgary branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia.

The Tennis Club ask for your patronage at their dance on Friday, Feb. 19th. Music will be by Jack Bolton's Calgary orchestra and a good time is assured.

Friends of Miss Opal Hanson, a former Vulcan girl, will regret to hear that she underwent a major operation in the Holy Cross Hospital, Calgary, on Monday last.

The Little Bow bonspiel, scheduled to be held in Vulcan on Wednesday, Feb. 10th, has been postponed indefinitely, due to the fact that some of the competing clubs have not yet finished their square draws. The Naylor and Lee rinks will represent Vulcan in the 'spiel.

The Advocate joins the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lucas of Armada in extending to them congratulations on the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary, February 2nd. Mr. and Mrs. Lucas were married at Nanton in 1912 and are numbered among the pioneer residents of the district.

The Brewery cup, recently won by T. B. Lebeau's rink at the Calgary bonspiel, is now on display at Jones' drug store and is attracting much attention. Individual prizes accompanying the cup were sets of cut glass decanters with six glasses and a mirror-centre-piece. W. J. Robson, D. C. Jones and Jack Lebeau were the other members of the rink.

SLEW SON'S SLAYER



Mr. Viola Wickline shot and fatally wounded Johnny Shepherd, 18 in the courtroom in Jackson, Ky., as the youth was being tried for the murder of Mrs. Wickline's son, Harvey Gabbard, 17. The woman fired four shots.

Here, Everywhere With Other Papers

Discontent
Communism, like all political movements, is first of all a frame of mind. If Communism is to be stamped out, it would seem to be necessary to stamp out the conditions from which the frame of mind grew and on which it continues to flourish. It will not be denied that a tremendous proportion of the population is suffering from this frame of mind in degrees varying from embarrassment to rebelliousness and all in correspondingly varying degrees susceptible to a suggestion of discontent.

The flames we stamp out in one place will break out in another. For subversive political movements are only the expressions of men's minds. It is useless to try to suppress a movement by direct attack as it would be to think we could extinguish a volcano by pouring water down the crater.—Albertan.

An Abused Man

A Walkerton farmer, according to the St. Mary's Journal, has been having a hard time of it. It seems he doesn't enjoy work. So he rented the farm to his wife so she could do the work while he loafed. Feelings ran high one day when she gave him a swift kick in the seat of his trousers as he was going out the door with a pail of swill in each hand to feed the calves. He had refused to buy pigs to feed the milk to. One hot day during baying, he was lying under the cool shade of a lilac bush when his wife passed on the way to the hay field and wouldn't condescend to ask him to help. This made the poor man awfully mad. He decided to go out of farming completely and advertised an auction sale. But when his explained that he had rented the farm to her and couldn't sell it, a stubborn magistrate, according to the Walkerton Herald-Times, made him call the sale off. Some men have to put up with a lot.

Edward

"We should face the truth, King Edward did not abdicate the throne in order to marry Mrs. Simpson. He abdicated because, in his own opinion, his actions rendered him unfit to occupy the throne of Britain any longer."

"I am not pleading for mercy for him. I am only asking for understanding. When everyone in London was asking if he were mad, if he did not realize the wretched fate of an exiled king, he was gazing into the fire, seeing his future with honest, unflinching eyes."

"He was so well worth saving. In his eagerness of spirit and warmth of heart, he had so much to give the world. His sympathy for the poor was not false, nor his love of old comrades of the War."

"History holds no tragedy more wasteful—more pitiful."—Beverly Baxter in Macleans.

Talk about reduced prices in Alberta, brought about by the Aberhart government! Why man, even rabbits have taken a jump!—Blairmore Enterprise.

Seen and Heard Around Town

Donald Greene showing some of our local badminton artists how the game should really be played.

B.B. Willard taking the "Peke" for its daily walk. Who gets the exercise Bob, you or the dog?

Art Sick cleaning off the ice at the rink on Monday night. Wouldn't a scraper be better, Art?

Bill Black pausing in his labors with a snow shovel to gaze at Doc Carson's snowmobile. Was that an envious or an inventive look we saw on your face Bill?

Bob Munro heaving a sigh of relief after a certain phone call about nine o'clock Monday night.—Contributed.

Phil Lucas and Glen Dahl looking properly bashful as they had their pictures taken on Monday.

Some of our local citizens remarking that if the wind that was blowing on Tuesday was supposed to be a "Chinook," then the Chinooks "ain't what they used to be."

The "Rogues Gallery" on display at the curling rink. Oh well, fame is supposed to have its drawbacks, fellas.

That Bill Black and Bill Savage are DEALing quite a lot these days.

Berrywater

Mr. C. H. Anderson is spending two weeks in Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. George Strange left for Calgary at the beginning of the week. They expect to spend the remainder of the winter there.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Mensiner, Jr., spent a few days in Calgary this week.

The next U.F.W.A. meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. L. A. Douglass on February 17th, weather and roads permitting.

OBITUARY

JOHN H. ROBINSON

John H. Robinson of Graves Creek, Oregon, passed away at the Josephine General Hospital in Grants Pass, January 22nd at the age of 76 years, 8 months.

Mr. Robinson had been in poor health for some time, death being due to heart trouble. He was born in Halifax, Nova Scotia, on April 23rd, 1860 and when a young man at the age of 20 he moved to Boston, in the State of Washington. He was married to Sarah Jane Heald of Davenport in 1905. Between the years of 1910 to 1918 he lived on his farm west of Vulcan. Since 1920 until the time of his death he has made his home on his farm at Graves Creek. Mr. Robinson is survived by his wife, of Graves Creek, a sister, Mrs. Mary J. Rowan of Boston, and several nieces and nephews, among whom is Mrs. J. H. Deans.

The deceased was well known to many old timers of the Vulcan district especially those around Richmond Hill. He had a very kindly disposition, was an affectionate husband and a good neighbor. Many around Vulcan will remember his yearly visits in the fall, of late years in the interests of his land holdings west of town, and he will be missed.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. H. H. Mitchell, pastor of the Episcopal church, at the L. B. Hall in Grants Pass, Oregon, and Mr. Robinson was laid to rest in the Granite Hill cemetery.

Mrs. ELSIE PETERSON

Funeral services were held last Friday for Mrs. Elsie Peterson, who died early Thursday morning, Feb. 5th, at the age of 94 years. Rev. P. G. McPherson conducted the services.

The late Mrs. Peterson was born in Denmark, coming to Canada at the age of 22. She was married in Wisconsin and is survived by two sons and two daughters, W.G. and Martin Peterson, Calgary, and Mrs. W. F. Jenni John, Vulcan, and Mrs. E. Shaw, Portland, Ore.

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF MARQUIS, No. 157

Province of Alberta

ANNUAL FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Year Ending December 31st, 1936

RECEIPTS (Municipal Only)

Bank Balances Dec. 31, 1935—		
In Bank	Cash on H'd	
Municipal Account	\$4,923.70	\$ 438.42
Receipts on Account of Municipal Taxation—		
Municipal Taxes and Cost paid in Cash		
\$7,981.43; By Labour \$4,059.31		\$12,040.74
Business Taxes		\$ 960.00
Hail Taxes—1923 and Prior		\$ 110.00
Unemployment Relief Repaid—		
From Provincial Government		\$ 2,014.43
Advances and Charges Repaid—		
Pests and Weeds		\$ 4.07
Municipal Revenue Other Than Taxes—		
Rents		\$ 48.00
Commissions: Gov't \$662.63; Schools \$8.00		\$ 670.63
Road Grading \$45.00; Street Grading \$11.30		\$ 56.30
Loans—		
Municipal		\$ 8,000.00
Sundry—		
Overpaid Taxes		\$ 491.14
Refunds of Gas Tax		\$ 79.62
Refund of Deposit		\$ 15.52
Advances to Trust Funds Repaid		\$ 3,830.05
Outstanding Cheques or Overdraft, Dec. 31, 1936—		
Outstanding Cheques on Municipal Acct.		\$ 1,901.59

TOTAL (MUNICIPAL) \$ 34,633.81

PAYMENTS (Municipal Only)

Outstanding Cheques, December 31, 1935		\$ 5,483.50
Administration—		
Salaries: Sec. Treas. \$1,800.00; Assistant \$527.50; Assessor \$56.00		\$ 2,383.50
Bond \$32.00; Audit Fees \$175.00;		
Elections \$85.60		\$ 292.60
L.T.O. \$50.00; Postage \$110.64; Printing \$85.80; Stationery \$20.71		\$ 267.15
Exchange \$10.53; Insurance \$52.00		\$ 62.53
Office Exp. \$85.80; Telephone \$174.64		\$ 260.44
M.D. Association Fees \$17.00; Council Fees (meetings only) \$392.30		\$ 409.30
Telegrams \$2.40; Sundry Administration Exp. \$16.10		\$ 18.50
Protection of Person and Property—		
Pound Expenses \$4.00; Pests & Weeds \$72.90		\$ 76.90
Grasshopper Destruction		\$ 726.23
Grants—Aid and Relief, Health and Sanitation—		
Medical Health Officers		\$ 625.00
Aid and Relief		\$ 5,341.13
Grants—Salvation Army		\$ 100.00
Public Works—		
Labour (Cash payments) \$1,140.01; Labour (applied on Taxes) \$4,145.32		\$ 5,285.33
Machinery and Repairs \$340.87;		
Material \$2,097.43		\$ 2,438.30
Workmen's Comp. Board \$29.88; Council Fees (supervision only) \$667.00		\$ 696.88
Loans—		
Municipal—Principal \$5,259.52; Interest \$161.20		\$ 5,420.72
Sundry—		
Interest on School Loans		\$ 207.99
Seed Grain Purchased for M.D. Land		\$ 31.80
Refunds of Overpaid Taxes \$491.14;		
Hail Insurance Board \$110.00		\$ 601.14
Taxes on M.D. Property		\$ 23.38
N.S.F. Cheque		\$ 4.50
Balances Dec. 31, 1936— In Bank Cash on H'd		
Municipal Account	\$1,780.31	\$2,096.68
Above Cash on Hand was Deposited on		
February 2nd, 1937.		\$ 3,876.99

TOTAL (MUNICIPAL) \$ 34,633.81

RECEIPTS (Trust Only)

Bank Balances Dec. 31, 1935—		
In Bank	Cash on H'd	
Prov. Taxes Tr. Acct.	\$1,725.83	\$2,152.21
Hospital Taxes Tr. Acct.	\$ 63.73	\$ 63.73
Hail Ins. Tr. Acct.	\$2,282.28	\$2,147.60
School Taxes (Rural)		\$ 4,429.88
Trust Account	\$1,297.09	\$2,285.62
Totals—		\$ 3,582.71
In Bank—Cash on H'd	\$5,368.93	\$6,585.43
Trust Monies Received—		
Social Service \$4,893.60; Educ. \$181.06		\$ 5,074.66
Hail Board \$2,037.94; Hospital \$1,503.21;		
Seed and Feed (Gov't) \$188.29		\$ 3,729.44
Schools—Rural \$6,935.24; Reporting S.D. (less Commissions) \$153.85		\$ 7,089.09
Fodder \$228.70; Fuel Oil \$106.76		\$ 335.46
Loans—School		\$ 10,500.00
Outstanding Cheques, December 31, 1935—		
Provincial Taxes Trust		\$ 1,825.82
Hail Insurance Trust		\$ 4,429.88
School Taxes Trust (Rural)		\$ 325.00
Advances from Municipal Funds Repaid		\$ 3,830.05
Trust Monies Remitted—		
Social Service \$6,977.19; Educ. \$201.05		\$ 7,178.24
Hail Board \$989.13; Hospital \$1,700.00;		
Seed and Feed (Gov't) \$188.29		\$ 2,877.42
School Requisitions \$10,944.06; School Reported Arrears (less Comm'n) \$153.85		\$11,097.91
Fodder		\$ 228.70
Loans—School		\$ 5,344.85
Balances Dec. 31, 1936— In Bank Cash on H'd		
Prov. Taxes Tr. Acct.	\$2,538.17	\$ 245.43
Hospital Taxes Tr. Acct.	\$ 63.73	\$ 63.73
Hail Ins. Taxes Tr. Acct.	\$ 442.99	\$ 605.82
School (Rural) Taxes		\$ 1,048.81
Trust Account	\$ 402.20	\$ 402.20
Seed Grain and Feed		\$ 363.79
Fodder and Fuel Oil Acct.	\$ 49.85	\$ 56.91
Totals—		\$ 4,768.89
In Bank—Cash on H'd	\$3,860.73	\$ 908.16
Above Cash on Hand was Deposited on		
February 2nd, 1937.		\$ 4,768.89

TOTAL (TRUST) \$ 41,906.76

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ASSETS (Trust)

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Totals—		\$ 4,768.89
In Bank—Cash on H'd	\$3,860.73	\$ 908.16
Sundry Assets (Trust)—		
Paid in Excess of Collections to Schools \$21,071.64; Hospital \$6,556.92; Gov't \$51.82		\$ 27,680.38
Uncollected Trust Taxes—		
Social Service		\$48,278.40
Educational		\$ 4,864.60
Hospitals		\$13,628.42
Hail		\$92,561.48
Schools (Rural)		\$89,345.25
School (Reporting)		\$39,699.53
Seed Grain and Feed Owning by Farmers (Government Guarantee)		\$129,118.81
Seed Grain (1931 to 1935)		\$14,412.20
TOTAL (TRUST)		\$464,357.96

LIABILITIES (Trust)

Outstanding Cheques, Dec. 31, 1936 (Trust)—		
Provincial		\$ 3,010.46
Schools (Rural)		\$ 25.00
Seed Grain and Feed		\$ 188.29
Loans—School		\$ 5,155.15
Sundry Liabilities (Trust)—		
Advances to Schools from Municipal Funds		\$11,898.16
Advances to Hospitals from Municipal Funds		\$ 6,620.65
Trust Taxes—		
Social Service	\$48,278.40	\$ 48,278.40
Educational	\$ 4,864.60	\$ 46
Fuel Oil	\$ 106.76	\$ 106.76
Hospitals	\$13,628.42	\$ 13,628.42
Hail	\$92,561.48	\$ 1,048.81
Schools (Rural)	\$89,345.25	\$4,395.53
School (Reporting)	\$39,699.53	\$39,699.53
Seed Grain and Feed		
Due Prov. Gov't	\$92,855.69	\$ 92,855.69
Seed Grain (1931-1936)	\$14,412.20	\$ 14,412.20
Due to Municipal Funds (See Mun. Assets)		\$ 36,263.12
TOTAL (TRUST)		\$464,357.96

ASSETS (Municipal)

Balances December 31, 1936—		
In Bank	Cash on H'd	
Municipal Account	\$1,780.31	\$2,096.68
Municipal Taxes—Uncollected Municipal Taxes		\$61,026.37
Uncollected Charges for Pests and Weeds		\$ 260.08
Hail Taxes—1923 and prior		\$ 7,183.99
Accounts Receivable—		
Commissions—Provincial		\$ 128.87
Grasshopper Bait Mixing		\$ 142.35
Hospital Accounts \$86.96; Aid and Relief (Government) \$655.00		\$ 741.96
Due From Trust Funds (see Trust Liabilities)—		
Advances to Schools from Mun. Funds		\$11,898.16
Advances to Hospitals from Mun. Funds		\$ 6,620.65
Fixed Assets—		
Office Building \$780.00; Office Eqt. \$400.00		\$ 1,180.00
Machinery, Equipment and Tools		\$ 5,410.00
House and Lot		\$ 800.00
S.W. 1/4 3-17-21-4		\$ 2,100.00
Land 4.4 acres		\$ 225.00
Balance of Trust Assets Over Trust Liabilities		\$ 36,263.12

TOTAL (MUNICIPAL) \$137,857.54

LIABILITIES (Municipal)

Outstanding Cheques, Dec. 31, 1936—		
Municipal		\$ 1,901.59
Accounts Payable—		
Councillor's (Meetings)		\$ 38.00
Labour \$1,722.68; Material \$1,729.02		\$ 3,451.70
Machinery and Repairs		\$ 1,212.16
Overpaid Taxes \$67.01; Funds held in		
Trust \$397.10		\$ 464.11
Office Supplies		\$ 229.52
Queenstown Lights \$312.00; Surveys \$4.25		\$ 316.25
Old Age Pensions \$415.27; Mothers' Allowance \$963.75; Indigents \$97.72		\$ 1,476.74
Hospital Bills and Doctor Bills (Estimated)		\$ 1,200.00
Dept. of Health (Nursing Service)		\$ 1,300.00
Dept. of Agriculture—Grasshopper Bait (1935 and 1936)		\$ 2,802.60
Dept. of Public Works re Gravelled Highway		\$17,874.09
Grasshopper Bait Mixing \$567.50;		
Strychnine \$228.00		\$ 795.50
Hail Insurance Board \$4,249.93;		
Child Welfare \$250.00		\$ 4,499.93
Loans (Municipal)—		
Principal (Bank)		\$ 2,740.48
TOTAL LIABILITIES		\$ 40,302.67
Reserve for Excess of Seed Grain and Feed		
Due from Farmers Over Amount Due to Gov't		\$ 36,263.12
Balance of Mun. Assets Over Mun. Liabilities (Surplus)		\$ 61,291.75

TOTAL (MUNICIPAL) \$137,857.54

Weadick Comments

On American Visit

Business Conditions Definitely Better;
Highway Departments Efficient;
Thumbs Down on War

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Weadick arrived home last week after a pleasant holiday in the central States. Wherever they went they saw snow, but motorizing offered no problem till they reached the boundary line. They were obliged to leave the car at Coult, and come north by train. Viewed from the train the drifts along the Southern Alberta highway near the border appear to be 15 to 20 feet high, and it is doubtful if there is equipment on hand capable of removing such a blockade.

Up to the beginning of the year the weather in Minnesota and neighboring States was fine, as it was here, but the Dakotas, Minnesota, Nebraska and Wisconsin have experienced weather much similar to ours.

Mr. Weadick commented on the marvellous system of clearing highways which prevails in Wisconsin and Minnesota. After a two-foot fall of snow, it is not more than five hours till main and secondary highways are opened. The rotary plough equipment takes one side off and then comes back removing the other side, so there are no single track tunnels. Travel is continuous on the roads, and in each town there is a highway department to furnish accurate and immediate information on routes and roads. The rotary ploughs throw the snow off like a blower, making great progress. In the whole trip across the states there were only two short distances in Montana which were a single track clearing, and red flags warned the motorist. A speed of 40 to 50 miles an hour was always possible.

Business Good

There was a great deal of criticism of the Roosevelt policies before election, but this has died too, and generally speaking business has been too good to give much time for complaints. Corporations running along with unpaid dividends protested against threat of taxation. But since the decisive election, they have come through with dividends and bonuses. Frozen money has been jarred loose and is in active circulation.

In respect to unemployment, there is no doubt that money was spent very freely, and in the opinion of some, it was spent on projects not always worth while. But there is the general belief that these undertakings, in giving employment and wages, did help to restore public confidence. Roosevelt's great backing in Congress is expected to give him encouragement in pursuing the policies which he believes in.

It is possible the W.P.A. may become a permanent thing to take care of those definitely unemployed. But there is every effort to make industry take back their skilled workmen, and absorb as much labor as possible.

Strikes

It is difficult to get the actual points of dispute in the strike situation, said Mr. Weadick. The average man seems to think it is a split between Green of the American Federation of Labor and Lewis of the Coal Union. It seems that the strike is not founded on a clamor about wages, but rather on a desire that work should be maintained steadily throughout the year, instead of periodic rush and layoffs. The companies object to the one union dictating for all the people, but the workers claim that companies have themselves organized their company unions. The "sit down" strike is a new racket imported from France. The President is not likely to permit the clash to continue indefinitely.

Keeping Out of War

The opinion expressed wherever one

goes, said Mr. Weadick, is a determination that United States should keep out of war. "The people are all through with making the world safe for democracy. They got a load of that once. All that the people generally got out of the last war was grief, and the profits went to international bankers and munition makers."

They believe that Roosevelt is tightening up the laws to prevent not only participation in war but any assistance to belligerents. A recent bill which was passed prohibits the lending of money to, or making munitions for, any country owing United States money.

If American citizens want to join in foreign wars, or remains in belligerent countries then it is felt they should do so at their own risk, without embroiling the nation.

Cattle

Mr. Weadick said there was no shortage of cattle in United States. But there will not be as many fed cattle as usual, because of feed scarcity. High prices on Chicago markets are going to cornfed cattle.

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AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

We have audited the accounts of the Municipal District of Marquis, No. 157 for the year ending December 31, 1936, and have compared the said accounts with their relative vouchers and certify that in our opinion the foregoing financial statements are properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the financial affairs of the Municipality according to the best of our information, the explanations given to us, and as shown by the records.

Dated at Milo, Alberta, this 2nd day of February, 1937.

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SECRETARY-TREASURER'S CERTIFICATE

The information contained in this Report is as shown by the Books and Records of the Municipal District, from my own observation, or obtained from other officials of the District—and all of which I certify to be true and correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief, and in agreement with the Auditor's Report where necessary.

Dated February 2, 1937.

J. K. McLEAN, Secretary-Treasurer

FORM D, SECTION 85, THE MUNICIPAL DISTRICT ACT

Take notice that a meeting of the Electors of the Municipal District of Marquis, No. 157, will be held at one o'clock in the afternoon on Saturday, the 20th day of February, 1937, at the I.O.O.F. Hall, Milo for the discussion of municipal affairs, and that at the same place and on the same day the Returning Officer will receive nominations of candidates for the office of Councillor from three o'clock p.m. to four o'clock p.m.

J. K. McLEAN, Secretary-Treasurer

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Stocktaking

Stocktaking being the order of the day, churches review the past year. Locally it is not a cheerful picture. One such meeting reported in this paper reveals that more spending or purchasing power distributed through steadier employment has had a reverse effect on church revenue. Even the Calgary Protestant Bible Institute reported a deficit of over \$700 in 1936, which brought forth a fervent appeal during the Sunday broadcast to radio listeners to come to the rescue. On the other hand, Bishop Sherman's appeal for \$8,000 to make up for the loss caused to Diocesan funds by grossly unfair legislation cutting interest on investments in half, brought in over \$10,000, which must be encouraging to the Bishop.—Coleman Journal.

Don't Sneeze If You Wear Store Teeth

Tragic Episode of Cowpuncher's Missing Teeth

It is about time to come upon a new store teeth story. The correspondent from North Fork (near Cowley?) provides this in last Saturday's Calgary Herald. There was heavy argument in the bunk house on the advantage of boughten teeth over these frequent trips to dentists with the home-grown molars. But one morning one of the advocates of the detachable brand was galloping round the range and sneezed. "Not having his store teeth glued in very firm, out they popped into a couple of feet of loose snow. Although he was sure he could just pull off his mitten and reach down and pick them up, his efforts to date have met with no success, although, he being Scotch, we have no doubt that after moving several acres of snow, he will eventually locate the missing grinders."

The other fellow, while rounding up some bossies on the range, and we presume having his mouth open farther than was necessary to properly admonish his charges as to the error of their ways, felt a tickling in his throat and in endeavoring to clear the passage gave a mighty cough and he also was conscious of a loosening of the imported molars. But being an old-timer and always noted for being quick on the draw, he managed to get his hands up before the patent meat-chavers, launched forth into space and snared them in mid-air. However, in making this lightning catch, he had to drop his reins, and his pony, being of a vindictive nature and noting that the boss was at a disadvantage, promptly proceeded to give a demonstration of his pitching abilities and succeeded in unloading his rider into a large snow-drift, his momentum being so great that the unfortunate chap went in head-first, right up to his boot-tops, and if it hadn't been for the great presence of mind exhibited by another cow-puncher in shaking out his rope and snaring those waving legs, and yanking him out, we shudder to think what might have happened.

However, he came forth expelling snow in large chunks, and clutching tightly the flying teeth. After knocking them on his bootheel, he restored them to their proper place and is now yodelling as of yore.

The fellow who saved his teeth is a Grit. The other who is still shovelling snow is a worker in the Social Credit vineyard. So at present in the bunk-house parliament, the Grits are one man up.

Down in Montana wool is 38½ cts. Across the border in Southern Alberta it is 17½ cts.

Pertinent Topics

(By H. C.)

(Continued from Front Page)

so seasoned a conspirator as he professes to be.

That man Lewis is sore at Roosevelt for not giving assistance to the General Motors strike. "We voted for you," he says, "and worked for you while the executives of G.M. voted and worked against you." If the President wanted to reply in kind he could say with truth: "I paid in advance for any support I got from labor unions." The trouble with any class voting in a block for any one candidate is that it thinks it elected him and expects a preferred position. The election was no sooner over, than Lewis staked his claim, but Roosevelt knows it is a piece of presumption for Lewis to claim that he speaks for labor. His demand upon the President and his threat to march against Ford and Chrysler next ought to end the career of a dangerous autocrat. If it does, no one will rejoice more than President Green of the American Federation of Labor.

The strike in General Motors is liable to make other employers of labor suspect that payment of high wages and substantial bonuses is not a sure preventive. It was in Sam Gompers' time, and might be now in William Green's, but Green is only a labor leader where Gompers was the labor leader. Bootleggers and hijackers have barged into trade unionism and made it a racket.

Probably more than any other people, lumbermen have been harassed in getting their businesses going again. There has been little doing in that line, yet they have a heavy overhead, and every effort they make to get logging is hampered by agitators creating disturbance among their employees. Because three such characters were rejected by the Company, two thousand men went on strike in northern Ontario. In B.C. too, the government is having trouble with woodmen whom it employs in a work-relief basis. Some years ago, men who wanted to go to lumber camps north of Sault Ste. Marie, were prevented by strikers from boarding the train, until ex-service men voluntarily assisted the police and railwaymen to subdue the disturbers who for the most part were foreigners. There is every reason for belief that they are instigated from Moscow.

The world, outside of two or three countries governed by dictators, is against war and will do almost anything to prevent it, but that attitude will not last indefinitely. The present state is neither war nor peace, but a mixture of both which only war or peace can terminate. The tension cannot be maintained. It is too trying on the nerves, and some time before long the peacefully disposed are going to lose patience and say "Let them go to it. We can't put up with this thing forever and the sooner they start the sooner it will be over."

On more than one occasion, the Archbishop of Canterbury has enjoined silence with respect to a certain regrettable incident in England. Having spoken about it himself once, he thinks that should suffice, or perhaps he wishes that some one had given him, before he spoke, the advice which he is giving now. The advice is good, no matter what his purpose may be. Everybody has had a fair chance already to speak out of turn, including His Grace, himself, Hon. Winston Churchill, my Lords Beaverbrook and Rothermere and Hon. Lloyd George. We do not include a couple of Clydeside Communists because they belong to the Komintern.

In his inaugural address, President Roosevelt pointed a rather gloomy picture. One would think he was succeeding a political adversary instead of himself and wanted to make the picture look as bleak and awry as possible so the picture he will draw four years hence will look all the more bright and attractive. He could have no such thought in mind for he will not again be a candidate. If he cannot present a better report four years hence it will be just too bad. He has been provided with all the implements necessary to carry out his wishes. No President ever had greater power. His motives and his zeal are not questioned. His opponents questioned only the methods by which he sought to bring about social and economic regeneration. They were a small minority, not now vocal, but no doubt still skeptical of them and convinced that the cumulative effects of his methods in the past two years will hamper his efforts in the next four. We stand foursquare with the silent, emaciated minority.

We are travelling far and fast from the reign of law, especially in Ontario. Having appealed to the Privy Council from a decision of the Court of Appeal, the government introduces

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Features of 1936

ASSURANCES IN FORCE—The increase in assurances in force reflects the improvement in general business conditions.

INTEREST RATE earned on the Company's investments again increased.

ASSETS of the Company increased by seventy million dollars in 1936 and are now seven hundred and seventy-seven million dollars, the highest in the Company's history.

Dividends to Policyholders

Participating policyholders will share in the Company's progress by increased dividend payments during 1937.

ASSURANCES IN FORCE, December 31, 1936 - \$2,775,949,067
NEW ASSURANCES PAID FOR - 216,968,537

INCOME - 164,083,598
DISBURSEMENTS - 103,364,568

EXCESS OF INCOME OVER DISBURSEMENTS - 60,698,728

PAYMENTS TO POLICYHOLDERS AND BENEFICIARIES:
During the year 1936 - 77,469,309
Since organization - 1,046,104,001

ASSETS - 777,803,539
LIABILITIES - 740,446,963

PAID-UP CAPITAL (\$2,000,000) and balance at credit of shareholders' account - \$3,450,303

RESERVE for depreciation in mortgages and real estate - 5,788,065
CONTINGENCY RESERVE - 10,000,000
SURPLUS - 18,118,208

Securities are carried in the balance sheet at book values which in the aggregate are lower than market values.

SUN LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF CANADA
HEAD OFFICE - MONTREAL

NOTICE
Nominations For ElectionsMunicipal District of Royal, No. 158
MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS, 1937

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a Meeting of the Electors of the Municipal District of Royal, No. 158, will be held at the
I.O.O.F. HALL, VULCAN

Saturday, Feb. 20th, 1937

At One O'clock p.m.

For the discussion of the affairs of the district; and that from three o'clock p.m. to four o'clock p.m. on the same day and at the same place, nominations for the office of Councillor will be received.

Two Councillors are to be elected.

Councillors are to be elected for electoral divisions 4 and 5. A member for the High River Hospital Board is also to be elected.

Given under my hand at Vulcan this 4th day of February, 1937.

J. FERGUSON,
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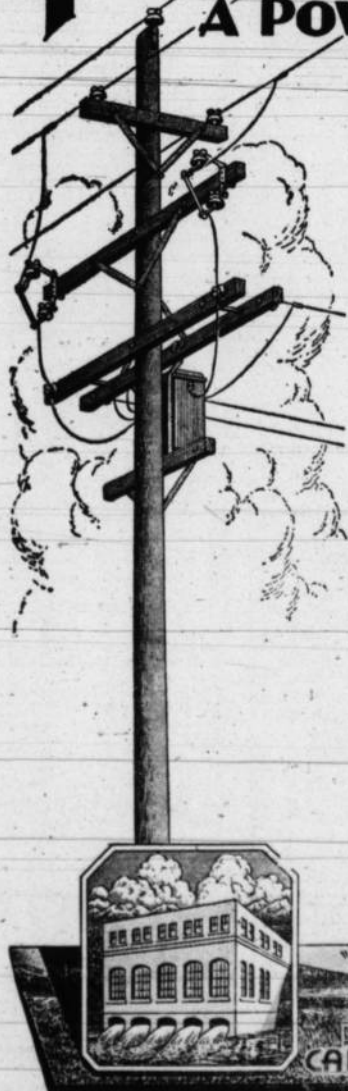
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legislation which makes the Hydro-Electric Commission judgment proof. Last year, it declared certain contracts null, void and unenforceable and denied the contracting companies access to the courts. Two of the companies got into court, nevertheless, and secured judgment, the execution of which is now to be barred by further legislation. What the government is saying to the Privy Council is this: "The Court of Appeal has decided against us. We are appealing to your Lordships to reverse that decision, but we are taking no chances. We are telling you here and now that you would be well advised to grant our appeal, because we are taking steps in advance to make an adverse decision null and void and unenforceable."

Why the Franking
M.P. Privilege

Two members of parliament opposed the privilege given to members of sending out their mail, free of charge. Said Melvor, Liberal, Fort William: "I am better able to pay for postage than before I became a member." Said Spence, Toronto Conservative: "Postmen's backs are breaking, carrying the stacks of letters, reports and pamphlets sent out by members of parliament, and government departments without charge!" Both speakers congratulated Hon. J. C. Elliott on his surplus of more than \$3,000,000. Mr. Spence said: "I am not one of those fellows who cannot see some good in our Liberal friends, if there is any good in them."

Mr. Elliott said that the cost of free service to members of parliament and to government departments is estimated at \$1,100,763.

The school trustees' convention asked the government for the redemption of demand certificates held by Alberta school district.

It's getting dangerous now to write letters—at least for those in or near legislative circles. Nobody ever seems to know when some letter of his will confront him on the front page of the press. This business of letter-writing is brought up even in connection with the Governor-General, when he wrote a letter congratulating some Canadian writer.

Taxes From Gas
Not Earmarked

Most persons know that when the gasoline tax was first imposed, it was levied upon the argument that as motor vehicles wear out the roads, it was only right that automobile owners should pay for highway maintenance. The tax at first was trifling but so easily collected, it soon became an irresistible temptation whenever legislators were on the hunt for greater revenues.

In 1935 no fewer than 38 taxing authorities in the United States, and all of them in Canada that levied it, devoted this tax to other uses of bewildering variety. All over the continent this has become the general practice. All provinces of the Dominion use it to sweeten their general revenues. Necessity no doubt has forced their hand but it is tough on car owners who are bearing a taxation on the merits grossly unfair to them, and simply because they own a car.

The taxing jurisdictions answer they are all doing it, and so what? This of course is true. In 1934 the general funds of 17 of the United States absorbed 46 per cent. of these taxes and in 8 states the schools got a generous slice of the money. Georgia is claimed to have diverted 90 per cent. of her automobile tax money for roads. Massachusetts transferred \$9,500,000 from her highway fund to her general fund and Delaware made big borrowings from hers for the same purpose.

Cora Hind has been fascinated with the meat eating capacity of New Zealanders.

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Mrs. Violet Norton, an Englishwoman of Winnipeg, asserts that her daughter is the child of Clark Gable. Conspiracy to gain money under false pretences is charged against the lady.

The following newspaper item was snipped from the Pensacola, Florida Journal: "Mrs. Lottie Prim was granted a divorce when she testified that since she and her husband were married he spoken to her but three times. She was awarded the custody of their three children."—Blairmore Enterprise.

Canada's Climate And Outdoor Sport

Canadian Air and Exercise Healthiest in the World, Say Health Authorities

"Bring your children to Canada if you want them to be healthy," I have heard Dr. Dafoe tell wondering mothers in New York. "You get the best air in the world up in Callander, and Canada is full of it. Fresh air has had a lot to do with the survival of the Dionne babies."

Not all children have the advantages of the Dionne quintets. If they did, Canada would become a land of supermen and superwomen. But an alert government coupled with a physically superb people and medical skill equal to any in the world are heading Canada in that direction.

For good health is rampant among Canada's children like an epidemic, and the source of the infection is the vigorous outdoor life which has scarcely any parallel in the world. Plus a high standard of living.

Canadians are a nation of outdoor sports enthusiasts—skiers, skaters, snowshoers, curlers and hunters—and the men who have turned the capital of Norway into the healthiest city in the world credit their achievement to outdoor sports and gymnastics. Plus a high standard of living, but no higher than that of Canada.

In the "good old days" babies were bundled in heavy clothes than an adult wouldn't tolerate for five minutes, done up by a multitude of pins provided by mothers apparently working on the principle that babies should be heard but not seen. If the baby cried because it was hungry, it was often given a hunk of bread soaked in milk and not infrequently a few drops of whiskey to put it to sleep. Not a few babies probably died in legitimate protest to this hap-hazard way of starting them off in life.

To-day things have changed vastly. Babies haven't graduated from milk to caviar, but parents are more intelligent. Infant diet has become a science and thousands of Canadian babies who wouldn't have survived their first year if they had been born back in 1900 are now growing up to be strong and sturdy youngsters. Most civilized countries have cut their infant mortality by half or more since the turn of the century. Canada's new generation may be brought up on guide books or sound common sense, but it's surely a bumper crop of good health compared with the generations of even a few decades ago.

The health of babies does seem to improve as you travel west in Canada. Quebec City, according to government figures, tops off the infant mortality rate with its figure of 138. Then comes Montreal with 98, Ottawa 89, Toronto 60, Hamilton 57, Edmonton 53, Winnipeg 39, and Vancouver 34.

What is the world's healthiest city for babies? Oslo, in Norway. But Canada's western cities aren't far behind.—Toronto Star.

At a time when "rule by the people, of the people, and for the people" stands out as a highly desirable governmental system in comparison with the dictatorial forms of government in some other parts of the world, it is indeed fitting that plans should be carried out to erect a monument to the memory of William Lyon Mackenzie, who led in the fight to bring about responsible government in Upper Canada a century ago. A group of representative citizens has taken initial steps to erect the shaft in Queen's Park. Every Canadian who has read the history of his country knows full well how Mackenzie battled in order that the masses might have a say in governmental affairs. He was forced into exile for opposing autocratic factions. As a fugitive in the United States he had to put up with many hardships for a cause, the fruits of which we are enjoying today.—Kitchen Record.

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"His life was one long sacrifice. His heart was true and tender. He toiled so hard for those he loved. And left us to remember."

Ever remembered by his sorrowing wife and family.
—Mrs. Annie S. Hyslip and children.

Sun Spot Cycles Cause World's Ills

When sunspots reach their maxima, that is said to be the time when world cataclysms reach their peak. The sunspots are titanic tempests, thousands of miles across in polar atmosphere, and once every eleven years they go through a cycle from maximum to minimum. They project streams of electrons into space, and these enter the atmosphere of the earth and alter its electrical state. They cause an increased output of ultra-violet light. But there are no means of knowing as yet, whether the effects are extended to human beings to result in increased irritability.

Some think so, basing their deductions on human behaviour, which culminates in natural or man-made disaster round the time the sunspots reach their peak. A check has been kept since 1610, when Galileo discovered the sunspots. The intervals between maxima are about 11 years.

Taking the maxima years of the 19th century—1805, 1816, 1829, 1837, 1848, 1860, 1870, 1883, 1894, 1906, 1917, 1928. In 1805 the Napoleonic wars were harassing Europe, the climax being reached in 1816. The years 1829, 1837 and 1848 are associated with revolutionary outbreaks in Europe. The Civil war followed the maxima of 1860; and the Franco-Prussian war that of 1870. Financial depressions are tied up with 1883, 1894 and 1906. The world war entered into the maxima of 1917 and the depression followed 1928.

In the same general sequence marking minima years, peace and prosperity have been noted. Minima years of more recent date are 1810, 1823, 1833, 1843, 1856, 1867, 1878, 1889, 1901, 1913, 1923 and 1934.

Astronomers cannot actually predict the exact years in which these sunspots reach their maximum and minimum. But the years 1939 and 1940 may develop something pretty bad.

Another cycle is considered as having its influence on the earth's weather. This is the Hale magnetic cycle which is completed every 23 years. Data can be produced to indicate that the weather, the world over, ends to repeat itself for any particular area every 23 years. This is an approximate condition.—Calgary Herald.

Sir T. Inskip voices the hope that Britain would never again make the mistake of allowing defences to fall into a state of disrepair.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

IN THE ESTATE of Charles Robson, late of Vulcan, in the Province of Alberta, Farmer, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the late Charles Robson, who died on the 18th day of April, 1931, are required to send to the undersigned Administrator of his Estate by the 15th day of March, 1937, a full statement duly verified of their claims and any securities held by them and after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or brought to his knowledge.

DATED at Vulcan, Alberta, this 29th day of January, A.D. 1937.

L. H. STACK, K.C.,
Solicitor for the Administrator,
William J. Robson.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

IN THE ESTATE of Philancy Douglass, late of Vulcan, Alberta, Deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the late Philancy Douglass who died on the 4th day of March, 1936, are required to send to the undersigned Executor of her Estate by the 29th day of March, 1937, a full statement duly verified of their claims and any securities held by them and after that date the Executor will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or brought to his knowledge.

DATED at Vulcan, Alberta, this 6th day of February, 1937.

L. H. STACK, K.C.,
Solicitor for the Executor, Harry C. Douglass.

Factors Affecting World Grain Trade

(By H. G. Strange, Searle Grain Co.)

The following factors have tended to raise wheat price. Extraordinary bidding for Australian and Canadian wheat that is in store in Europe; countries apparently stocking-up for possible war. Drought threatening Chinese wheat crop—Japan and Australia sign trade agreement—mild rainy weather in France causes weed growth and vermin. Advances indicate Germany concerned about securing sufficient supplies of wheat and rye—continental Europe purchases Canadian rye. Spring rains still awaited in India. Cattle slaughter in Uruguay for 1936 will be smaller than for 1935.

The following factors have tended to lower price: Harvesting completed in Australia. Clear facilities movement of Argentine small grains; corn conditions favorable. Indian wheat and flax seed crop conditions favorable—larger plantings of winter vegetables in Cuba, Mexico and Puerto Rico. Larger exports of fresh pears from the U.S.

Following factors have tended to lower price: very heavy wheat shipments from Argentine. Wheat stocks on sea passage largest since March, 1933. Surplus of Argentine oats for export expected to be 27 million bushels. Production of soy beans, peanuts, cottonseed and sesamum in China and Manchuria materially above that of 1935.

Von Ribbentrop, German ambassador, meeting Viscount Halifax (acting for Anthony Eden) is expected to urge Britain's recognition of Germany's claim to pre-war colonies.

Sandy:—MacTavish must have had a lot of drink at the smoking concert last night. Mack—How's that? Sandy—Well, when I was taking him home he let me fall twice.—Lethbridge Herald.

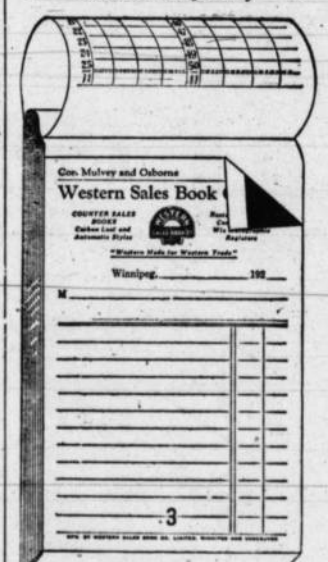
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